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THE FULL TEXT OF THE LONG-AWAITED ELECTORAL LAW BECAME
OFFICIAL MARCH 23 UPON PUBLICATION IN THE OFFICIAL STATE
BULLETIN. INITIAL REVIEW OF THE LENGTHY DOCUMENT CONFIRMS
EXPECTATIONS THAT THE DECLARED INELIGIBILITIES, BEGINNING
WITH "MINISTER OF GOVERNMENT", ALLOW SUAREZ TO RUN (REFTEL).
ONE ISSUE WHICH EVIDENTLY WENT DOWN TO THE WIRE HAS NOW
BEEN CLARIFIED BY THE STIPULATION THAT CANDIDATES CAN ONLY
RUN IN ONE DISTRICT (PROVINCE), A PROVISION WHICH WILL SURELY
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SPARK COMPLAINTS FROM THE TRADITIONAL OPPOSITIONS THE COMPONENTS
OF WHICH ARE RELATIVELY SHORT OF BIG NAMES. STILL UNSPECIFIED ARE
THE DATE THE ELECTIONS WILL FORMALLY BE CONVOKED AND THE
DATE OF ELECTION DAY ITSELF: KNOWLEDGEABLE POLITICOS
EXPECT A CONVOCAION JUST AFTER EASTER, AND STILL BELIEVE
ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE JUNE 5-12 PERIOD. EATON

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